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**RESPONSE TO DECISION ON RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT PETITION
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Applicant submits the following response in reply to the Decision on the Restriction Requirement Petition mailed on 17 June 2004. While no fees should be required for entry of this response, if any fees or charges are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 18-1167.